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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Takashi KANO et al.

Serial No.: 10/720,836

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 AIDED DESIGN APPARATUS, AIDED
 DESIGN METHOD, AND
Title: RECORDING MEDIUM FOR
 RECORDING PROGRAM FOR
 CARRYING OUT THE METHOD

Group Art Unit: 2123

Examiner: STEVENS, THOMAS H

Attorney Docket No.: SERA:001

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Sir:

In reply to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated January 23, 2007, this application has been corrected as indicated below. Pursuant to the instructions provided with the Notice, only the corrected section of the prior Amendment is included. This reply is timely. No fee is due. The Commissioner, however, is authorized to charge any unaccounted fee(s), such as for extension of time, excess claim fees, etc., required to maintain pendency of this application to Deposit Account No. 18-2056.